

IN THE SPECIFICATION

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Applicants request entry of the substitute specification that accompanies these papers, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.125(b). A marked-up copy of the substitute specification showing the matter being added to and the matter being deleted from the specification of record is included herewith.

Amendments are indicated by the presence of vertical lines present at the left and right sides of amended text. Within those vertical lines, deletions are indicated by ~~striketrough~~, additions by underlining. Applicants through their attorneys state that no new matter is presented therein.

Specifically, the substitute specification seeks to add SEQ ID numbers conforming with US national requirements.

The Title of the application has been amended from "Somatostatin Vectors" to "Peptide Vectors" to more accurately reflect that additional vectors are present and claimed in addition to somatostatin vectors, *e.g.*, LHRH and bombesin. Support is apparent throughout the specification, *see, e.g.*, page 5, paragraph 13 of the original specification.

On page 6, paragraph 16, the somatostatin analog has been amended to Caeg-cyclo(DCys-3Pal-DTrp-Lys-DCys)-Thr(Bzl)-Tyr-NH₂. Support for correction of this typographical error can be found on page 55, Example 47 of the specification.

Additionally Applicants replaced the phrase " β Al α " throughout the application to correctly read " β Ala". Support for amending this obvious typographical translational error can be found throughout the specification, *see, e.g.*, the compound illustrated in Example 49 on page 56 of the specification.

Applicants amended page 66, Example 74, to include the full names of the following chemicals:

Benzotriazole-1-yl-oxy-tris-(dimethylamino)-phosphonium hexafluorophosphate, or "BOP";

Tetrakis(triphenylphosphine) palladium (0), or Pd(PPh₃)₄; and

Tributyltin hydride, or Bu₃SnH.

These are common reagents used in peptide synthesis and would be readily apparent to those skilled in the art.

Additional typographical errors are corrected. No new matter is presented.